

### **EXAMINER'S COMMENT**

1. This examiner's comment is in response to the Post Allowance Communication filed on 12 November 2008 in regards to the Information Disclosure Statement filed on 12 December 2005.

#### ***Information Disclosure Statement***

2. The information disclosure statement (IDS) submitted on 12 December 2005 is in compliance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.97. Accordingly, the information disclosure statement is being considered by the examiner.

#### ***Conclusion***

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to David Faber whose telephone number is 571-272-2751. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F from 8am to 430pm.

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